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CPS HUMAN RESOURCE SERVICES' CM&AS PROJECT WINS BEST OF CALIFORNIA AWARD

Sacramento, CA - The Client Management & Administration System (CM&AS), recently launched by CPS Human Resource Services, will be awarded a Project Excellence Award on Monday, November 13th at the Best of California 2006 reception. This day-long event, presented by the Center for Digital Government, honors IT professionals in California state and local government agencies who implement innovative production systems.

George Cole, Hayward Unified School District Human Resources Director and member of the CPS Board of Directors, said, "My congratulations to the team that worked on the CMAS. I am honored to be part of an organization that strives for excellence."

CM&AS was honored in the "Best Application Serving Organization Business Objectives" category which is awarded to an agency that has deployed new applications or improved an existing system in performing its day-to-day work. CM&AS is a comprehensive Internet enabled on-line system for applicant registration, tracking, testing and certification/licensing. It provides enhanced services through cutting edge technologies and business practices. This system is used by CPS for clients such as the California Secretary of State for Notary Public Registration, the California Department of Consumer Affairs for the California Acupuncture Licensing Examination, and the California Department of Health Services in its Water Distributor and Treatment Operator program.

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Since the application went live in April 2006, CPS has experienced a monthly average of nearly 10,000 external candidates accessing CM&AS. “We expect these numbers to increase significantly over the next 12-18 months,” states Brian Gegan, CPS Chief Information Officer. He added, “CM&AS showcases outstanding teamwork between our business units, our IT staff and our valued business partners and most importantly, increased value for our clients.”

“We are honored and humbled to be included among these Best of California recipients,” CPS Chief Executive Officer, Jerry Greenwell said. “We believe CM&AS will prove a useful tool to better serve our clients and consequently help fulfill our mission to improve the quality of human resource management in the public sector.”

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About CPS Human Resource Services

CPS is a self-supporting public agency providing a full range of human resource services to the public and nonprofit sectors. We have unique expertise in delivering HR management and consulting services, employment testing, assessment services, and applicant tracking software to government agencies throughout North America. We assist organizations across the talent management continuum in recruiting, selecting, and developing employees.